

Top Seniors Are Named At West Liberty School



BARBARA HAWLEY
Valedictorian



WARREN JENKINS
Salutatorian

WEST LIBERTY — Barbara Hawley and Warren Jenkins were named valedictorian and salutatorian at Tuesday night's high school commencement exercises at West Liberty High School. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hawley, Barbara had a 4.0 grade average. Warren, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Jenkins, had a 3.947 grade average. The awards were presented by Kenneth Shaw, high school principal.

Annual Trips For Nichols School Classes

NICHOLS — The classes at the Nichols School have been taking their annual class trips recently.

The kindergarten and first grade took a half day bus trip to Muscatine's Weed Park. Mrs. Burt Mills drove the bus and Mrs. Vervoort and Mrs. Elder supervised their classes.

Fountain Falls at Coralville was the destination of the second and third grades, with Mrs. Everett Grim as their bus driver. Mrs. Kaalberg and Mrs. Shaw chaperoned the group.

Mrs. Grim also drove the bus for the fourth grade's trip to Weed Park in Muscatine, where they enjoyed fishing. Mrs. Hummel is their teacher.

Mrs. Tatge's fifth graders rode on Lee Rudman's bus for their trip to Iowa City.

Amana was toured by the sixth grade, their teacher, Mrs. Frank, and some of their mothers. They visited the woolen mills, the Amish church, an Amana home, the furniture factory, the butchering plant, and the bakery. They dined at the Colony Inn. Mrs. Mills was their bus driver.

Mr. Carpenter accompanied the seventh grade to Iowa City, with Lee Rudman driving the bus.

The eighth grade went in cars to Mount Pleasant, where they toured parts of the Mental Health Institute, visited Iowa Wesleyan College, and ate lunch. Later in the day, they drove to Colonial Lanes in Iowa City to bowl and ended their day by going to a movie. Several of the students' parents took cars.

Poppies — Mrs. Burt Carter is serving as Poppy chairman this year in Nichols. The American Legion Poppy Day will be held Saturday, May 25, and anyone wishing to sell poppies can pick them up at the Burt's Place, up town.

Boy's State Delegates Are Announced at Wilton

WILTON — The Wilton American Legion Post No. 584 has selected two boys as delegates to Hawkeye Boys' State to be held at Ft. Des Moines June 2-9. Those selected are Mickey and DeWayne Birkhofer, both juniors at Wilton High School.

Mick is the son of Dean Birkhofer and DeWayne's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Birkhofer.

Both boys are honor students at the high school and members of the National Honor Society. They have been active in extracurricular activities at the high school and have won major letters in sports.

During the week at Boys' State, the young men from all



DEWAYNE MICKEY

over the state will gain practical experience in the running of a government. By selecting boys in their junior year, the students will be in a position to use the things they have learned when they return to school for their senior year.

Damage Victims Can Receive Tax Returns

DES MOINES — John F. Hanlon, District Director of Internal Revenue for the state of Iowa, said today that Iowans who suffered property losses through floods, tornadoes or other damages would in many cases be entitled to a tax deduction for their 1968 federal tax return.

Hanlon urged taxpayers who incur casualty losses to inventory and document their loss as soon as possible after the misfortune. Collecting necessary information and documentation is much easier if done soon after the loss, lessening the chance of overlooking any items damaged or destroyed.

Detailed instructions and information on casualty losses are available in the Internal Revenue Document No. 5174, "How the Federal Income Tax Applies to Disasters, Casualties and Thefts," and may be obtained free of charge by writing to the District Director of Internal Revenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50309, or from any Internal Revenue Office.

To read with understanding is to be educated.

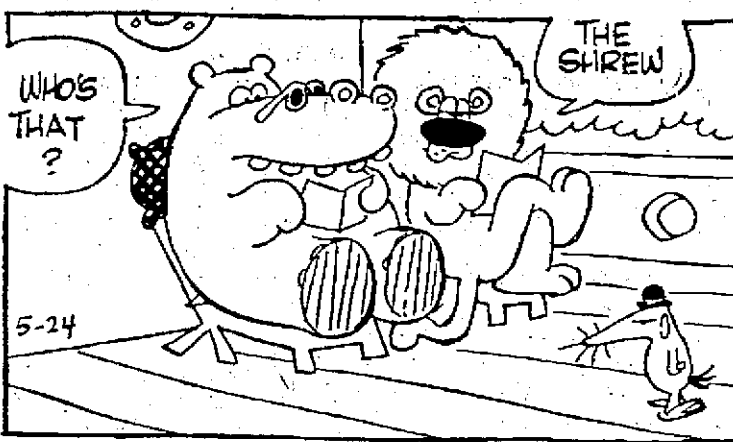


GORDON E. SCHAEER

New Address For Schaer

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schaer, 719 Oak St. have received a new address for their son, Gordon, who just completed a 25-day leave following 13 months in Vietnam. While in Vietnam, Cpl. Schaer served with the combined action program with the Marine pacification program. The new address is: Cpl. Gordon E. Schaer, 228442, Range Company Hq., Weapons Training Bn. (MCRD), Edson Range Area, Camp Pendleton, Calif., 92055.

Boner's Ark



By Addison

Iowa City Girl Is 'Favorite' Farm Daughter

CEDAR RAPIDS — Mary Jean Neuzil, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Neuzil of Iowa City, has been named "Iowa's Favorite Farmer's Daughter" in the eleventh annual contest, sponsored by the Iowa Electric Light and Power Company and the WMT Stations of Cedar Rapids and Fort Dodge.

Runners-up are: Penny Morrison, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Morrison of Sac City and Renee Stuedemann, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stuedemann of Clinton.

Miss Neuzil was selected from

480 entries representing a record 97 Iowa counties. Judging was on the basis of personality, natural attractiveness, farm background, and school and community activities.

Miss Neuzil is 5 feet, 5 inches tall, has brown hair and blue eyes. She is a 1967 graduate of Clear Creek High School in Oxford and is employed by The Hudson Insurance Agency of Iowa City. However, Mary Jean plans to major in business at the University of Iowa next fall.

Her parents operate a 540-acre Johnson County pasture and grain farm. As a 9-year 4-H member she has held all the offices in her local club, makes most of her own clothes and now has a herd of 11 registered

Herefords. This past year she was awarded a beef heifer as the outstanding member of the Junior Hereford Association and was the Iowa Hereford Princess in 1967.

In high school Miss Neuzil was in band, vocal music, junior and senior class plays, on the honor roll and participated in girls basketball and baseball.

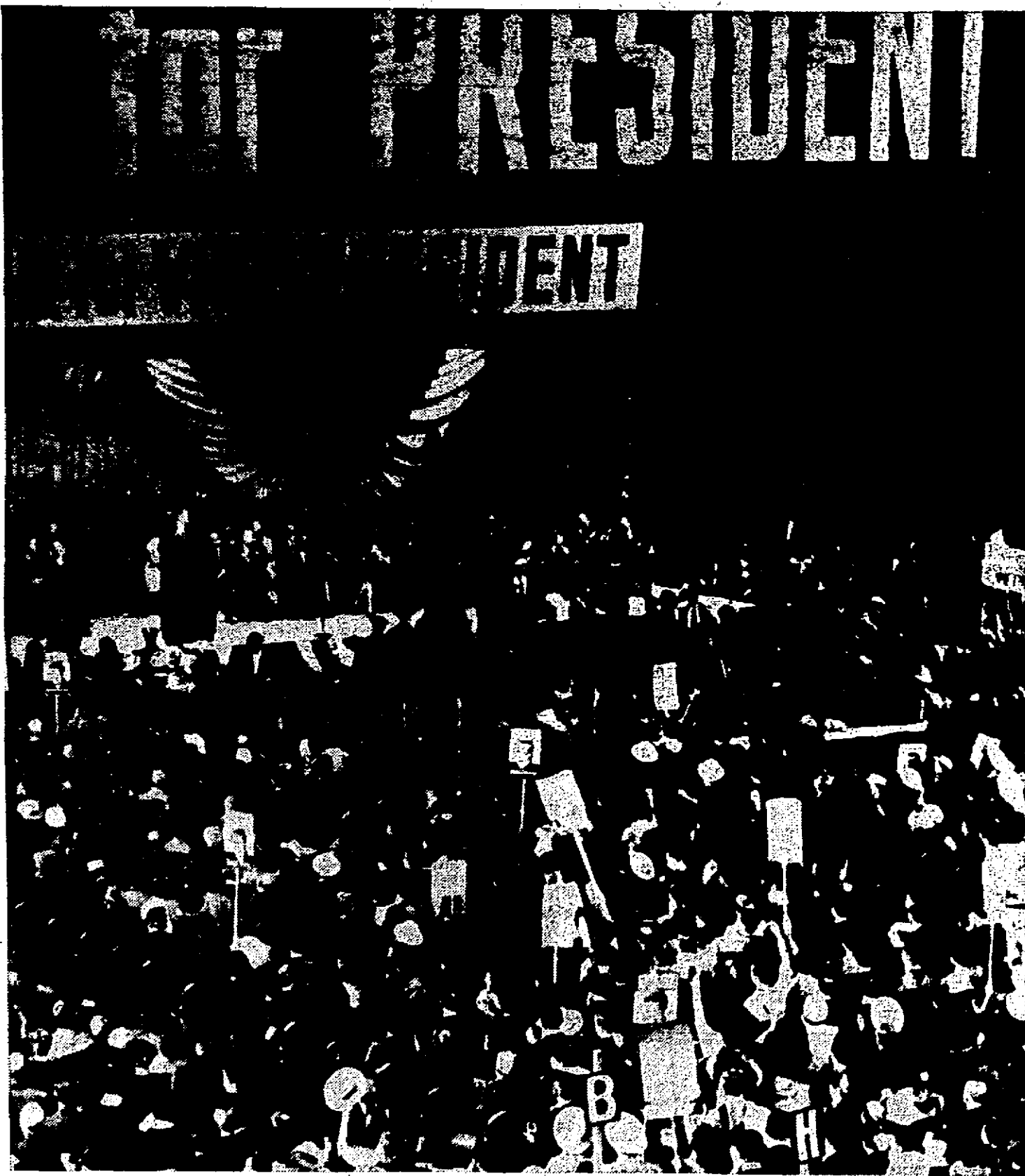
Revocations, Suspensions Announced

Revocations and suspensions of Muscatine area persons' driver's licenses have been an-

nounced by Iowa Department of Public Safety.

Those who had their licenses revoked include the following: Phillip Fuller, 40, 1127 Lincoln Blvd., Muscatine, 60 days for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Earl J. Neuendorf, 30, rural Columbus Junction, 60 days for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Robert Wayne Burke, 40, of 1004 E. 10th street, Muscatine, 60 days for operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

Those who had their licenses suspended include the following: Lyle Laverne Jenks, 19, of rural West Liberty, 30 days for serious violation.



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